HOUSE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Article 4 -Section 6 DCYF Child Welfare Information System Replacement has been added to this agenda

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Thursday, April 8, 2021

TIME: 4:00 PM

PLACE: Room 35 - State House

SUBJECT: Governor's FY 2022 Budget Articles

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING

House Bill No. 6122

(Governor)

BY Abney

ENTITLED, AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022

Article 4-Section 6 DCYF Child Welfare Information System Replacement

Article 13. Human Services

House Bill No. 5672

BY Diaz, Caldwell, McNamara, Ackerman, Blazejewski, Shallcross Smith, Biah, Cassar, Tobon, Edwards

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES {LC1759/1} (Increases the reimbursement rates to be paid by the department of human services and the department for children, youth, and families, for licensed child care centers and family child care homes.) 02/24/2021 Introduced, referred to House Finance 04/02/2021 Scheduled for hearing

House Bill No. 5683

BY Handy, Kazarian, Barros, Williams, Diaz, Felix, Carson, Alzate, Giraldo, Speakman ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES - RHODE ISLAND WORKS PROGRAM {LC1769/1} (Reduces the eligibility requirement for many prospective members of the Rhode Island Works' Program making it easier for some to qualify for its benefits.) 02/24/2021 Introduced, referred to House Finance 04/02/2021 Scheduled for hearing

House Bill No. 5932

BY Ranglin-Vassell, Barros, Fogarty, Hull, Alzate, Henries

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- CHILD CARE SUBSIDY ELIGIBILITY {LC23/1} (Authorizes both parents to seek financial child care benefits for their children rather than restricting it to the custodial parent.)

02/25/2021 Introduced, referred to House Finance

04/02/2021 Scheduled for hearing

The State House remains closed to in-person testimony.

The meeting will be televised live on Capitol Television, which can be seen on Cox Channels 15, and 61, in high definition on Cox Channel 1061, on Full Channel on Channel 15 and on Channel 34 by Verizon subscribers.

It will also be live streamed at http://rilegislature.gov/CapTV/Pages/default.aspx .

WRITTEN TESTIMONY

Written testimony is strongly encouraged and may be submitted via **HouseFinance@rilegislature.gov**

Indicate your name, bill number, and viewpoint (for/against/neither) at top of message. Due to high volume, clerks are not screening this inbox for verbal testimony requests. This inbox is for written testimony only.

DEADLINE: Written testimony should be submitted no later than three (3) hours prior to the posted meeting time. Every effort will be made to share written testimony submitted before the deadline with committee members prior to the hearing. Testimony received after deadline will be sent to committee members and posted to the website as soon as possible.

For faster processing, it is recommended that testimony is submitted as a PDF file.

Testimony will be posted on the General Assembly website, http://www.rilegislature.gov/Special/comdoc/Pages/HFIN.aspx .

VERBAL TESTIMONY

Due to the extremely high volume of requests, and in order to accommodate as many constituents as possible, please take note of the revised procedure for verbal testimony:

*DEADLINE: Requests for verbal testimony must be submitted via the link, by 4:00 PM on Wednesday, April 7, 2021.

For verbal testimony requests, **CLICK HERE**

Please indicate the budget article and section number which you are interested in testifying on.

The committee is unable to designate a specific time that you will be called. In the event you are unavailable when called, witnesses are urged to submit written testimony.

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